Easterling, Deborah

From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Friday, November 04, 2011 2:18 PM

To:

'Mac Pearce'

Subject:

RE: Form Returned: Letter_of_Protest_Form_pub_0001.pdf

Dear Mr. Pearce,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your email and Letter of Protest to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email and Letter of Protest will become a part of Docket No. 2011-271-E and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information. RECEMPO

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling Administrative Assistant

----Original Message----

From: Mac Pearce [mailto:mpearce@pfgc.com] Sent: Thursday, November 03, 2011 5:06 PM

To: Contact

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Letter of Protest Form pub 0001.pdf

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- 1. Double-click the attachment.
- 2. Acrobat will prompt you to select a responses file.

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Letter of Protest in Docket * 2011 - 271 - E

Protestant Information:					
Name *	William Pearce				
Mailing Address *	4 Woodland Way Circle				
City, State Zip *	Greenville	, <u>sc</u>	29601	Phone *	864-313-3040
E-mail					

subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information

customer of the company

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

This concerns docket 2011-271-E. Duke Powers request for a 17% rate hike. A Reuters news article published today references 30 companies that paid zero federal income tax from 2008 to 2009. Duke Power was listed as one of them. As you evaluate their request this information should be verified. If true it is hard to understand the need for the increase. The article was written by Kevin Drawbaugh.

Thank you

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? * (This section should be completed.)

I will not be able to attend the hearing due to business travel.